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Re: Request for Extended Area Service in York County
PSC Docket No.: 2005-241-C

Dear Mr. Terreni:

I am writing in reference to the Office of Regulatory Staff's Motion for a Continuance and Motion to Compel which was filed with the Commission on November 14, 2005. In addition to requesting an extension on the time required to file a recommendation, ORS listed several companies which failed to respond to its request for information concerning this docket. Since the time of this filing, several companies filed the necessary information and were, subsequently, removed from the Motion to Compel; however, six companies remained subject to this action. On February 6, 2006, ORS filed its report in this docket and requested that the Commission set this matter for a formal hearing in order to receive additional information on this matter. As ORS has made its findings as requested, we respectfully request permission to withdraw the Motion to Compel for the remaining companies.

Thank you for your assistance with this matter. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Benjamin P. Mustian

cc: Global Crossing Telecommunications, Inc.
Excel Telecommunications, Inc.
South Carolina Network, Inc.
Business Telecom, Inc.
One Call Communications, Inc.
Talk America, Inc.

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF SOUTH CAROLINA
DOCKET NO. 2005-241-C

IN RE: Request for Extended)
 Area Service in) Certificate of Service
 York County)

This is to certify that I, Pamela McMullan, an employee with the Office of Regulatory Staff, have this date served one (1) copy of the **Letter Dated February 7, 2006 Requesting Withdrawal of Motion to Compel** in the above-referenced matter to the person(s) named below by causing said copy to be deposited in the United States Postal Service, first class postage prepaid and affixed thereto, and addressed as shown below:

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